

**Lowell Heritage Partnership and  
Lowell National Historical Park  
2016 Awards for Excellence in  
*Historic Preservation or Cultural Heritage*  
Nomination Form**

Lowell Heritage Partnership and Lowell National Historical Park seek nominations for organizations and individuals who have contributed to the historic preservation or cultural heritage of the City of Lowell as it relates to enhancing the quality of life in the city. Two awards may be presented in each category, one to a student through college and one from the broader community nominees.

**ALL Nominations should include:**

- A completed nomination form.
- A summary of the project activities and outcomes.
- Please limit support materials in addition to written descriptions to two items.

**For Historic Preservation Nominations:**

- Documentation of the final product, in terms of resources preserved and their significance, and what they offer in their new role in the city's economic development and quality of life.
- A sampling of past award recipients' accomplishments in this category include: preservation of cemeteries, mill redevelopment projects, preservation skills training, adaptive restoration with historical preservation core, Hamilton Canal District vision planning, and preservation rehabilitation with LEED certification.

**For Cultural Heritage Nominations:**

- Documentation of the final product, in terms of cultural heritage preservation and presentation, and its significance, and what it offers toward improving the quality of life in this city.
- A sampling of past award recipients' accomplishments in this category include: documenting and sharing immigrant and refugee experiences, cultural performance with the Angkor Dance Troupe, organization and presentation of ethnic food sales at the Lowell Folk Festival, cultural festivals such as the Southeast Asian Water Festival, historical documentation of the canal system, historical tours of Lowell Cemetery, and preserving and sharing the history of Lowell's Irish community, cultural exchange among partner organizations.

**AWARD NOMINATION CATEGORY** (Please see reverse for category descriptions)

☐ CULTURAL HERITAGE or ☐ HISTORIC PRESERVATION

**Nominee Information**

- \* Name of Nominee or Group:
- \* Is Nominee a Student?: \* If yes, what grade?
- \* Address of Nominee:
- \* Phone: Home/Work Email Address:

**Nomination Information**

Project/Program Narrative: (attach additional sheet if necessary)

Benefits to Community: (attach an additional sheet if necessary)

**Nominator Information:**

Person/Organization sponsoring this nomination:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

Signature:

Nominations and any photographs and or supporting materials you may wish to include with a nomination are due at the address below by close of business on **Friday, April 8, 2016**. Please limit these items to two per nomination.

Send nominations to Phil Lupsiewicz by **Friday, April 8, 2016**.

- By U.S. Mail: Lowell National Historical Park  
67 Kirk Street, Lowell, MA 01852
- Or by email to phil\_lupsiewicz@nps.gov